

# DEAD FROM GIRL'S PRANK

## Fire and Explosion in a Torpedo Factory Has a Terrible Effect.

### HEAVY SHOCK IN CLEVELAND, OHIO.

#### While Playing During Lunch Hour the Shoe of a Girl Sliding on the Sinks a Spark, Igniting Loose Powder—In an Instant the Room is Ablaze and Explosion Follows—Pathetic Incidents.

Cleveland, O. (Special).—An explosion that caused death and destruction occurred in the plant of the Thor Manufacturing Company, of this city. Thus far three people are dead, while 28 others are lying at hospitals, some fatally and others more or less seriously injured.

The Thor Manufacturing Company is engaged in the manufacture of toy torpedo canes and other explosives. The company was in the midst of its busiest season. A large stock of material was on hand. Extra girls were being employed, and by the end of the week it was intended to put on the road the largest shipment ever sent out by the company.

The force of the explosion was tremendous and windows within a radius of a quarter of a mile were broken. In the house on Orange street, next to the factory, lived Maurice Cohen, with his wife and eight children. With the collapse of the house simultaneously with the explosion the woman and four children were caught in the falling partitions and all were horribly crushed. They were all taken out unconscious. Mrs. Cohen died on the way to the hospital.

In the house directly in the rear were Mrs. Barney Quass and two boys. All three were badly injured and taken to hospitals.

The fire originated in a peculiar manner. The torpedo caps are filled in molds and there is constant banging of some of the loose powder, supposed to be fulminate of mercury, dropping on the floor. For this reason the girls and boys who are employed in the factory are compelled to remove their shoes while at work, so as to avoid the danger of striking sparks.

The explosion was due to the frolicsome propensities of a new girl who had been employed at the plant less than a week. The girls had their shoes on at the lunch hour and one playfully shoved another of the girls. As the girl slid along the floor her shoes struck a spark in some loose powder. Instantly the floor was ablaze. With great presence of mind one of the girls ran to a tub of water which was standing in the room and threw it on the fire. The blaze had gained too great headway, however, and the water did not quench it. At this juncture a painter, who was working on the main floor, glanced through the open window and saw the fire. The girls did not seem to realize their great danger and were trying to extinguish the flames. The painter, however, realizing what was stored in the building, yelled to the girls to run for their lives.

There were ten girls, four boys and one man in the factory when the explosion occurred. All of these got out except one, Florence Lipster; one man, Willard Cole, son of one of the proprietors of the place, and Arthur Conway, a 14-year-old boy.

The flames were easily subdued by the firemen, as there was nothing left of the factory but a pile of debris. The fire fighters at once began the work of digging in the ruins for the imprisoned. The first to be unearthed was little Arthur Conway. He had been thrown down at the very entrance, his face and hands badly cut, but without injury of any serious nature. The next found was Willard Cole. The firemen dug him from the rubbish near the front door. His right arm was broken and terribly lacerated and he was covered with bruises. He was unconscious when found, but almost immediately regained his senses. He broke away from the firemen who were carrying him and rushed back to the ruins, crying: "Florence! Florence!" From this the firemen knew that at least one other person was buried and, drawing Cole away from the debris, resumed their search.

In a short time they came upon the unconscious form of Florence Lipster. She was pinned under a great weight of debris and awfully bruised and disfigured. A falling timber had entirely torn away one side of her face.

The pecuniary loss sustained by the torpedo company will not exceed \$10,000.

### SEVEN KILLED AND THIRTY INJURED.

#### Grand Trunk Flyer Dashes into a Big Crowd at Detroit.

Detroit (Special).—A day of merry-making and celebration by 1,500 Polish excursionists from Toledo was brought to a close by a frightful catastrophe at the corner of Campbell and Dequindre streets at 8:30 o'clock P. M., in which at least 7 of the excursionists were killed and about 80 others injured.

The excursion was given by the Polish Lancers of Toledo over the Lake Shore Road. The excursionists left the train at the corner of Campbell and Dequindre streets and were met by a number of local Poles and Polish societies, who escorted the visitors to St. Joseph's Church. An entertainment was held later at Harmonia Hall.

About 8 o'clock the visitors began to gather again at the corner of Campbell and Dequindre streets to take their train back to Toledo.

Suddenly from out of the darkness came the Grand Trunk, Chicago and New York express, known as the Pan-American Flyer. It plowed through the mass of people, throwing them to both sides of the track, bruised and maimed and grinding a number of them under the wheels.

### Fruit Injured in the South.

Columbus, Ga. (Special).—Fruit-growers throughout this section of the fruit belt say that they will have from one-third to one-half a crop. In the Buena Vista region, 30 miles south of here, the crop is expected to average fully 50 per cent. The general opinion, however, seems to be that the fruit-growing section of Southwestern Georgia will not average more than one-fourth of a crop. Many fruit trees were killed by the recent cold snaps.

### Miners and Operators Agree.

Pittsburg (Special).—For the first time in the history of the United Mine-workers a wage scale has been agreed on by the miners and operators of Butler, Mercer, Clinton and Armstrong counties. This action was the outcome of a joint conference held at Grove City, Pa. The meeting was attended by 17 operators and 27 representatives of the miners. There are 33 mines in operation in the fields, and nearly 35,000 miners are employed there. Of this number 2800 are affiliates with the union. Two months ago the districts were wholly unorganized.

# THE LATEST NEWS IN SHORT ORDER.

## Domestic.

### MUCH POMP AT ST. LOUIS

#### The Big Fair Buildings Dedicated by President Roosevelt.

#### TRAMP OF THE TROOPS HEARD.

#### The Chief Executive of the United States at a Lunch Counter, Passing Plates of Food to Members of His Party, One of the Novel Incidents of the Day—Grover Cleveland Spoke in the Liberal Arts Building.

St. Louis (Special).—The President of the United States climbing upon the speakers' desk to enable the crowd in the great hall to see and hear him and the tremendous ovation given ex-President Grover Cleveland are two incidents of the World's Fair dedication ceremonies which will be remembered. The Liberal Arts Building, in which the ceremonies were held at the conclusion of a brilliant military parade, covers a square of about to acres, and every foot of space within its walls was crowded. Such was the capacity of the building that it was impossible for any speaker to make himself heard throughout the audience, and the noise of the people trying to get as near the front as possible was soon such as to render it difficult for a speaker to make himself heard 40 feet away.

The invocation of Cardinal Gibbons was not and audible above the hum of voices and shouting from the audience. Mr. Francis, the president, presiding officer for the day, who closed his career in the Senate by a 12-hour speech without losing voice, could not make himself heard for more than half a dozen sentences.

Ex-Gov. David R. Francis, who seems to be the idol of St. Louis, delivered his presentation address without being heard. Only the music of the band and the voices of the grand chorus could rise above the tumult of the vast assemblage.

When the President was introduced by Mr. Francis the building resounded with the applause and cheers of 25,000 or 30,000 persons. The President tried to speak, but no word of his could be heard. Putting one hand on the shoulder of Mr. Carter, the President, by a quick movement, sprang upon the narrow reading table, and leaning over the railing, he spoke to the attention of the audience and waving his hand for attention. This was greeted with a mighty roar of applause, and then the audience became as silent as such a crowd could be. Mr. Roosevelt completed his address standing upon the desk, motioning the audience to attention when it became too demonstrative for him to be heard.

Mr. Cleveland, whose address followed that of the President, was received with an extraordinary demonstration. The audience shouted and cheered, waving their hats and waving their hands. Grover, Grover. The President joined in the demonstration, waving his silk hat and encouraging the continuance of the ovation, which lasted several minutes.

### SUICIDE AT THE AGE OF 72 YEARS.

#### Jacob Ladsberg, Once Wealthy, Had Lost All in Speculation.

Bayonne, N. J. (Special).—At the age of 72 years Jacob Ladsberg, of Bayonne, committed suicide. He had been ill for several years. With 50 cents in his pocket he left his home at 25 Center street, and started for a walk in the direction of Jersey City.

On the bank of the Morris Canal, near the foot of the Jersey Canal, passed Ladsberg as he stood looking at the water in the canal.

A few hours later Schumann returned and noticed a coat and hat lying near the water. Looking into the canal he was surprised to see the body of a man, partly clad, but was more surprised to recognize it as that of Ladsberg.

It is believed that Ladsberg walked into the water, which was only four feet deep, and held his head under water until he died. It is said the deceased was wealthy at one time, but lost his money in speculation. He was well known in Bayonne.

### KILLED IN A WRECK.

#### Two Men Dead and Five Injured in a Collision in Connecticut.

South Norwalk, Ct. (Special).—Two dead and five seriously injured in the result of a collision between a west-bound passenger train and a freight train just east of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Station.

The collision occurred as the passenger train was pulling into the westbound depot. It had crossed the bridge over Washington street, when the rear flat car on the freight train, which was running on a parallel track, went over the track and crashed into the rear of the passenger engine tender and the smoking car.

The side of the smoking car, which bore the brunt of the collision, was crushed in and passengers were pinned under the twisted timbers. Two cars immediately following the smoker were thrown from the track.

### Private Bank Robbed.

Albion, Mich. (Special).—Halstead's private bank at Concord was entered by thieves and the safe dynamited. It is said that all the funds in the bank, including postoffice money and stamps, was secured by the robbers. Two crackmen stole a horse and buggy and escaped to this city, where they are supposed to have taken a train at 4 o'clock.

### Scores Dead at Salonica.

Salonica (By Cable).—The number of Bulgarians killed during the recent dynamite riots is now estimated at 100. A complete bomb manufacturing plant has been discovered in a shoemaker's shop, communicating by an underground passage with the Ottoman Bank. It is feared that the presence of three Austrian warships, which have arrived here, will encourage the Bulgarians to irritate the Turks, who, up to the present time, have behaved well.

### Watchman Bled in Vat.

Philadelphia (Special).—J. Schlicking, 60 years old, of Seltzer and Salmon streets, a watchman at the Allen Dyeing Company's plant, Frankford avenue and William street, fell into a vat of boiling potash during the night, and next morning early his skeleton was found by fellow-workmen protruding from the fiery bleaching liquid. Schlicking was subject to attacks of vertigo, and it is believed that he was overcome immediately after turning on the steam under the big vat and pitched headfirst into the caustic liquid.

# NATIONAL CAPITAL AFFAIRS.

## Issue of Paper Currency.

The total paper currency of all denominations outstanding April 30, according to a table issued by United States Treasurer Roberts, was \$1,634,258,613, less \$1,000,000 of unknown denominations which has been destroyed. The amount of each denomination follows:

One dollar, \$77,417,766; 2 dollars, \$45,669,103; 5 dollars, \$28,643,039; 10 dollars, \$42,920,702; 20 dollars, \$34,622,286; 50 dollars, \$59,074,615; 100 dollars, \$91,232,870; 500 dollars, \$20,491,500; 1000 dollars, \$7,377,500; 5000 dollars, \$8,800,000; 10,000 dollars, \$92,600,000; fractional parts, \$3,604,212.

The grand total \$346,681,016 is in United States money, \$301,151,728 in Treasury notes of 1890, \$301,151,728 in national bank notes, \$410,257,869 in gold certificates, and \$494,373,000 in silver certificates.

### Asian Case Prepared.

The case of the United States, which is to be laid before the Alaskan Boundary Commission, has been completed and was delivered at the British Embassy here.

At the same time the British case was turned over in London to the American Embassy. The United States case makes a volume of no less than 650 pages.

The next step will be the preparation of the counter cases, and these must be delivered, one in Washington and one in London, July 3 next. All this is preparatory to the meeting of the joint commission which will take place in London on September 3.

### Mr. Hay as "Artful Decms."

Secretary Hay in a note addressed to Count Cassini expresses regret that there should have been even a temporary misconception or doubt as to Russia's position in Manchuria and returns thanks of this Government for the frank and satisfactory declaration of Russian principles.

### Diplomatic Changes.

George L. Lorillard, a son of the late Pierre Lorillard, has been appointed second secretary of legation at Havana, in place of Henry P. Fletcher, of Pennsylvania, who has been transferred to Peking to replace William E. Bairbridge, who has resigned to act as United States arbitrator in the approaching Caracas arbitration.

William J. Pike, of Pennsylvania, has been appointed consul at Zittau, in place of Hugo Meuschel, transferred to Plauen.

### To Help the Scientific Congress.

The State Department issued special credentials to three distinguished scientists who are going to Europe for the World's Fair Commission to insure the success of the Scientific Congress, which is to be held in St. Louis. They were Simon Newcomb, of Washington; Prof. Hugo Munsterberg, of Harvard; and Prof. Albion W. Small, of the University of Chicago.

### Necley Money is Locked Up.

The Postmaster-General has turned over to the Treasurer of the United States for safekeeping the sum of about \$6000 found in the possession of C. F. W. Necley at the time of his arrest in connection with the Cuban postal frauds.

### More Soldiers Die of Cholera.

Acting Adjutant General McCain has received a report from General Davis, commanding the department of the Philippines, in which he says that 7 deaths since his last report 7 were caused by cholera.

### Consul Landger Must Explain.

The State Department will call upon United States Consul Joseph J. Landger, at Solingen, Germany, for a report upon the imposition of a fine upon him for contempt of court, as reported in the cable dispatches.

### In the Departments.

General Davis, commanding the Department of the Philippines, reported that 7 deaths since his last report 7 were caused by cholera.

### A number of important appointments were announced in the Department of Commerce and Labor and in the Treasury Department.

Governor Cailles, of Laguna Province, has captured Rios, the fanatical leader, who is said to be guilty of many crimes. A fanatical Moro attacked an outpost at Camp Vicars, Island of Mindanao, Philippine Islands, and wounded three soldiers before he was killed.

### Henry M. Clabaugh took the oath of office as chief justice of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia.

The State Department received advice from United States Consul General McWade, at Canton, stating that a mob of anti-foreign Chinese attacked a party of American engineers at Yunnan on North river, 140 miles from Canton.

### Col. T. A. Bingham retired from the office of superintendent of public buildings and grounds at Washington.

It was decided at the meeting of the Association of Officials of the Bureau of Labor Statistics that better results were secured by tactical agents than by experts.

# POWDER MILL HORROR

## Nine Workmen Killed by an Explosion at Piney Creek.

### LARGE POWDER PLANT WRECKED.

#### Women Employed in the Building Managed to Escape—Window Panes in Towns Five Miles Away Were Broken—Men Who Met Death Were Blown to Pieces—Many Homes Are Demolished—Value of Plant \$35,000.

Holidaysburg, Pa. (Special).—The extensive plant of the Crescent Powder Company, at Ganister, about ten miles south of here, was completely wrecked by a series of four explosions.

Of the thirty employees nine were killed outright and all the others were badly injured by being blown about the buildings in which they were employed. The ages of the dead ranged from 20 to 25 years. Seven of them were Americans and two were Italians.

The list of injured includes Adam Taggart, of Pittsburg, the superintendent of the company, who was found unconscious in his office by his wife and was dragged out of the burning building by her at the peril of her own life.

The first explosion occurred among the material in the mixing house, blowing that building to atoms and also destroying the two punching houses and the office. Nothing was left of these structures. Fire arose in the other buildings to complete the chapter of horrors. The force of the explosion was felt in towns five miles away and all houses in the locality were damaged.

The bodies of the dead are unrecognizable and the country around about is strewn with the melancholy remnants of what were once human forms. The fire at the deserted plant continued throughout the day and no person ventured near the doomed structure, fearing additional explosions. Terror-stricken farmers and limestone quarriers have flocked into the town of Williamsburg for refuge.

The Crescent Powder Company supplied the powder and dynamite used in the large limestone quarries of the United States Steel Corporation in this country and is owned by Pittsburg capitalists. There were eleven buildings in the plant, of which number five are still standing. The estimated value of the plant was \$35,000. George R. MacCabe, of Pittsburg, is the president of the powder company and George Troutman, of the same city, is the treasurer.

### Motorman Madded.

Pittsfield, Mass. (Special).—The fine of \$200 imposed on Motorman Euclid Madden, in connection with the sentence of six months for manslaughter in having caused the death of William Craig, President Roosevelt's body-guard, was paid by the Pittsfield Electric Street Railway Company. The payment of the fine, it is understood, was made in connection with a plan to secure Madden's release from the House of Correction. Pardon papers were at once forwarded to District Attorney Malone, and it is understood that Mr. Malone signs the petition for the motorman's release, the county commissioners will at once give Madden his freedom.

### Wrote Letters to Roosevelt.

Chicago, Ill. (Special).—Otto Heim, writer, of a series of rambling and threatening letters to President Roosevelt, has been arrested and taken to the detention hospital, where his sanity will be inquired into. He claims that he has been injured by a Westchester man, who threatened to take his life insurance by an insurance company. Postmaster Coyne, to whom some of the letters were referred, laid the matter before Chief of Police O'Neil and Captain Porter, of the government Secret Service. Heim lives at 82 West Seventeenth street, with his wife and child, and is employed at a sheet-iron foundry.

### Killed by Boiler Explosion.

Newark, O. (Special).—Reinhard Scheidler, one of Newark's foremost manufacturers and citizens, vice-president of the Newark Savings Bank, and former owner of the Newark and Granville Electric Railway, was killed and eight other men were injured by a boiler explosion at the Scheidler machine shop, when the boiler of a Westchester engine was being tested when the boiler exploded.

### Have Engineers Perished.

Hongkong (By Cable).—The United States gunboat Callao, which was dispatched to the nearest point up the river from Canton to aid the engineers at work on the Canton-Hankow Railroad, who were recently attacked by a mob, reports having found broken instruments and books belonging to the engineers, and their empty, drifting lifeboat.

### False Teeth Caused Death.

Davenport, Iowa (Special).—Laura Beckman, an insane patient at Mercy Hospital, found a set of false teeth and tried to wear them, although she had a good set of natural teeth. The false teeth slipped down her throat and choked her to death in five minutes. Physicians, at a post-mortem examination, recovered them from her right lung.

### Express Agent Robbed.

Des Moines, Ia. (Special).—Two masked men grabbed the package containing \$10,000 from Agent Peterson of the United States Express Company while a train was standing at Britt. They secured the money and escaped after a struggle. Two suspects have been arrested.

### Few Children Affected.

Charleston, S. C. (Special).—The Child Labor bill, known as the Marshall law, went into effect throughout South Carolina. Under its provisions no child under 10 years can legally work in any cotton mill. There were so few of such employees that the enforcement of the law did not create a ripple at Columbia, the State capital and a great factory center, where about 20 children were employed. The children reported for work as usual, but were not permitted to work.

### Howard Found Guilty.

Frankfort, K. (Special).—In the third trial of James Howard for the killing of Gov. William Goebel, over three years ago, the prisoner was found guilty. The jury first reported that they could not agree. Judge Cantrell then sent its members back with instructions to remain until an agreement was reached. A half hour later the jury again reported with a verdict of guilty and fixing the punishment at life imprisonment. The jurors all voted for a verdict of guilty, the disagreement being only as to the extent of punishment.

### Double Tragedy Over "No License."

Owego, N. Y. (Special).—Louis V. Lacey, proprietor of the Grand Hotel, shot and killed his wife and then committed suicide. He was dependent on account of the town going "no license."

# THE KEYSTONE STATE

## Latest News of Pennsylvania Told in Short Order.

### Patents granted.—John L. Albright, West Homestead, switch; James Armstrong, Pittsburg, truck toy; Arthur B. Bellows, Pittsburg, steel car construction, also car truck and bolster; Harry Gilchrist, Pittsburg, motor vehicle; Sigmund W. Huber, Pittsburg, shearing mechanism; William F. Kiesel, Altoona, door operating gear for coal or coke cars; John F. Kopp, New Kensington, curtain stretcher; William Maxwell, Pittsburg, metallic pole; Camille Mercader, Pittsburg, coal heating furnace; John W. Nowak, Allegheny, clothes wringer gear casting; Steve Peterson, McKeesport, perforated bottom furnace; S. A. Ruppel, Erie, net lifting machine; Edwin E. Slick, Pittsburg, repeater for rolling mills; Frank N. Smith, Bradford, pipe coupling; Thomas J. Voorhis, McDonald, non-explosive can.

Pensions granted.—Henry T. Conner, Weidensburg; Thomas Smith, Pittsburg; John G. Griffith, Pleasant Gap; Esau Harding, Fairchance; J. M. Sherwood, Erie; Emory J. Amos, G. Ealy, Beaverville; John Robert A. Hill, Pittsburg; John Hooker, Atlantic; William H. Chamberlain, Altoona; Hiram I. Fox, Altoona; George W. New, Harrisburg; Eric, \$10; Alexander Nedrow, Ursina; \$10; William Bruce, Sheakleyville; \$10; Henry Kremis, Kremis; \$40; William G. Kane, Pittsburg; \$12; Walter R. Johns, Oil City; \$12; Harriet A. Wilson, Petrolia; \$8; Sarah E. Clouse, Conowingo; \$8; George W. Gallison, \$8; Martha Clark, Pittsburg; \$8; Edna Chamberlain, Dugalis; \$12; Hama McAlligott, Pittsburg; \$8; John W. Gorsch, Titusville; \$8; Edward H. Swisher, Beaverville; John Cramer, Snowshoe; \$12; Robert Barr, Hoboken; \$10; Nelson Sherman, Edinboro; \$10; Charles M. Smith, Bellefonte; \$10; Alfred J. Roth, Prospect; \$10; John McBride, Hermitage; \$12; Catharine Tenure, Pittsburg; \$8.

Burglars at Youngwood broke into the general store of P. N. Platt and stole \$500 in clothing and merchandise which they hauled away in a wagon. Fire at the plant of the Clearfield Clay Working Company, caused by the explosion of dynamite, destroyed the boiler house and blacksmith shop.

Four hundred miners at the Hillside coal works near Leeburg, are on strike for a cent a ton for machine running. The company offers 47 cents. Butler borough council awarded the contract for paving West Water street to Harry Crooks, of that place. The Kittanning Fire Clay Company will install the bricks. The work will cost \$20,000.

James T. Rouse was found dead in bed at New Castle. Washington Council has passed an ordinance requiring all dogs to be muzzled. Eighty-five cases are scheduled to be tried at the May term of Criminal Court in Greensburg.

Salomon, Pa., consideration in constructing a \$50,000 Young Men's Christian Association building in Greensburg. The Charter of Council of Commerce paid \$20,000 for 12 1-2 acres of ground near that town and will offer it as a site for some manufacturing concern, seeking a location.

Elizabeth E. Payne, Pearl N. Shumaker, Tessie Lowery, Bertina O. Jones, Irene Stowers, Bessie E. Miller, John Kramer and Charles V. Rhoads were graduated from the Hyndman High School.

Solomon Harvey died in the Penn stateway hospital from a fractured skull, received by a falling rock. Rev. R. W. Thompson, of Mays, Pa., has accepted a call to the pastorate of the New Wilmington United Presbyterian congregation.

New Wilmington citizens want to see the location of the new school building. A committee has been appointed to confer with the traction officials on the matter of extending the lines to that place.

Among the wreckage of several Reading Railroad box cars, recently derailed, one was found which was thought contained dirt. The barrel was burned along with the pile. A claim agent found that the barrel contained gold dust and sweepings worth \$800 from a manufacturing jewelry company in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Jacob Steigle, of Reamstown, has been elected to the Evangelical Church, that place, while the congregation was in the middle of the service. The woman was seen to fall forward from her seat and when friends reached her side she was dead. The congregation was at once dismissed and the woman was buried in her home. She was 46 years old.

The new Christ German Evangelical Church at Oil City was dedicated. The building cost \$25,000.

Mayor S. M. Hoyer, of Altoona, arrested on a charge of violating a health ordinance, has discharged a health officer, William Perkins, at Masontown, was sentenced at Uniontown to hard labor. The district committee of the Methodist Protestant conference, has selected Kittanning as the next meeting place. Hannah Burke, 38 years, removed a gall stone. Steigle was instantly killed by a passenger train at the Hillside avenue crossing of the Pennsylvania Railroad. She was thrown a distance of 75 feet, almost every bone of her body being broken.

As John Loughrey, of Conshohocken, was being taken to jail he sang "Home, Sweet Home." John, according to records, spent 30 years of the past year in prison on short sentences for drunkenness.

Leaping the rails at Mahanoy City, two gondolas and an oil tank car, Philadelphia and Reading News-Enterprise played "tag" with a telegraph pole, a mounted switch and crossed bridges for a mile without other accident until the train stopped.

W. H. Marsters, aged 45, fell dead on the street at Latrobe.

William Ordikowsky was held on bail at Shanokin charged with assaulting his wife. It is claimed Ordikowsky's first wife aided him in his smith shop, and when he was refused, she is alleged to have cut and beat her in return.

Not satisfied with losing one eye under the wheels of a coal train on time ago, Joseph Gilchen, aged 24, a crick under his arm, crawled aboard another train at Mahanoy City. He attempted to alight, the result a lower limb was injured and will be amputated.

The Ottoman Bank, at Salonica, European Turkey, was destroyed by fire. The postoffice building, other buildings, were also attacked, resulting in a panic, during which two men were killed and two persons injured. It is now believed the French steamer Guadalupe, which was destroyed while being the port of Salonica, was destroyed by a bomb.